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2) (DYNASTY) CHINA/OCEANIA: HU'S TRAVELS PROMOTE RELATIONS.  
(U) CHINESE COMMUNIST PARTY (CCP) GENERAL SECRETARY HU YAOPANG  
CONCLUDED A 12-DAY OCEANIA VISIT TO AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, WESTERN  
SAMOA, FIJI, AND PAPUA NEW GUINEA ON 24 APR; IT WAS HIS FIRST TRIP  
TO THAT REGION. AS EXPECTED, THE TOUR WAS MORE PRO FORMA THAN SUB-  
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(U) WITH REGARD TO THE CONTROVERSY OF ANTICIPATED U.S. PORT VISITS TO CHINA AND HU'S INACCURATE COMMENTS THAT BOTH PARTIES BELIEVE THE SHIPS WOULD NOT BE NUCLEAR-ARMED, A SPOKESMAN OF THE CHINESE EMBASSY IN AUSTRALIA COMMENTED THAT "U.S. CONVENTIONALLY ARMED NAVAL VESSELS MAY CALL AT A CHINESE PORT ON AN INFORMAL FRIENDSHIP BASIS," AND ADDED THAT THE MATTER IS STILL UNDER DISCUSSION. HIS STATEMENT EFFECTIVELY TERMINATED THE CONTROVERSY.

(U) DURING HIS TRAVELS, HU ANNOUNCED THAT CHINA PLANS TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ITS MILITARY PERSONNEL BY ONE MILLION WITHIN THE NEXT 5 YEARS, WHICH IS CONSISTENT WITH PEIJING'S MODERNIZATION EFFORTS IN STREAMLINING AND REJUVENATING THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY.

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